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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
YASUO MORI ET AL.) : Examiner: M. Wallerson
Application No.: NYA; Divisional) : Group Art Unit: 2622
of A.N. 09/123,365) :
Filed: Herewith) :
For: PRINT LAYOUT DEVICE,) :
PRINT LAYOUT METHOD,) :
AND STORAGE MEDIUM) : May 23, 2001

The Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT
AND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend the above-identified divisional application, filed herewith, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please ~~cancel~~ Claims 2-57 without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter.

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